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Applicants : Uwe Schumann, et. al.  
Serial No. : 09/698,404  
Filed : October 27, 2002  
For : Process For Continuous Manufacture of Self-  
Adhesive Articles By Coating Incoming Web-Form  
Materials With Two-Component Polyurethanes  
Art Unit : 1734  
Examiner : Sing P. Chan

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December 31, 2003

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 35 C.F.R. 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2003, the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the following remarks: